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TO : Chief, Industrial Division

DATE: 1 June 1956

FROM : Acting Chief, Consumer Industries Branch

SUBJECT: Monthly Report for May 1956

1. Accomplishments

A. Branch Projects Submitted

25X1A9a 1. Project 38.909 (Light Industry in China) is part of a backlog in [REDACTED] redoubt.

2. Project 30.830 (Soviet Consumption) is ready for the editors. ?

B. Area-wide Project

I/CI's substantial contributions to Project 10.804 have been submitted.

C. DDP Project

Project 30.1081 (Selected Aspects of Economic Welfare in Czechoslovakia, Hungary, and Poland) has been sent to the customer.

D. Current Intelligence

1. An I/CI article on living standards in Poland was used (and mutilated) for the Weekly Review.

25X1A9a 2. [REDACTED] has negotiated with CSS for the publication of a CSM on the decline in secondary rural production in Communist China.

2. Training

25X1A9a [REDACTED] is about to complete her Russian language course.

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3. Trips

None.

4. Administration

I invoke the 5th amendment.

5. Plans

See research program for the next fiscal year.

6. Problems

The branch without a problem to its name.

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